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NON-WASHINGTON ADDRESSEES PASS TO US STATE TRADE PROMOTION OFFICES  
AND TO US COMPANIES

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: APAP, BEXP, IZ

SUBJ: EXPORT OPPORTUNITY: FARM SEEDS.

1. MR. HOFDI AL-ORFALI, DIRECTOR OF FOREIGN PURCHASING, AGRICULTURAL  
SUUPPLY ADMINISTRATION (ASA), NIDHAL STREET, WHITE AREA, BAGHDAD,  
(CABLE ADDRESS: ALTAWREED) INFORMED USINT THAT ASA SEEKS SEED  
CATALOGS AND SAMPLES FROM AMERICAN FIRMS SERIOUSLY INTERESTED IN  
THE IRAQI MARKET. HOWEVER, IN CASE OF SAMPLES THEY SHOULD BE SENT  
FOR TRIAL TO SEE IF THEY ARE SUITABLE FOR IRAQI CONDITIONS.  
AFTER TESTING, PROBABLY IN TWO OR THREE YEARS, ASA WOULD MAKE  
A DECISION ABOUT PURCHASING. ASA NORMALLY PURCHASES ON BASIS  
OF ITS OWN LIST OF WELL-KNOWN SUPPLIERS RATHER THAN THROUGH  
COMPETITIVE TENDERS.

2. INTERESTED US FIRMS SHOULD IDENTITY THEMSELVES TO ASA AND  
SEND CATALOGS.  
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